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### BREEZELETS

From information to hand, it seems likely that an amendment to the Seed Grain Act, the onus of raising the necessary funds for seed grain will be put upon the municipalities, through extra taxation, instead of as promised by the government.

Let's see. At the Cochrane election, didn't the government pose as a "Farmers' Government"—at elections only, maybe

If that should be the case, just think what it would mean in a three-year drought district—good night!

"Government at sea on liquor business," says a news heading.

After being in the liquor business for some three years, the Government is sea-icing things—sea snakes, as it were.

Calgary seems to be the headquarters for would-be prophets and prophets—in a "guessing

or gassing" competition.

J. G. Turgeon, Ribstone, and W. M. Davidson, Calgary, both government supporters, propose bringing in a motion in the house asking the premier not to use big stick, if they should kick over the traces and "vote agin the government."

Or, in other words, they are getting "fed up" on being led sheep to vote as the government "says so," and swallow every time the government does, when they don't like the medicine.

Germany has issued a proclamation, asking all accused men to make known place of residence

Now watch them all come trotting along to be tried by German courts—and trotting back home free.

Further advance on groceries is predicted.

The time is advancing when almost all groceries will be forced off the family menu.

### CHINOOK BREEZES

March came in like a lion—and a fierce one at that.

Mr. L. M. Colpitts, of Youngstown, sec.-treas. of M.D. Sounding Creek, was in Chinook last week on business.

Do not miss the opportunity of consulting John F. Miller, Alberta's Eye Sight Specialist, on Saturday, March 13th, at hotel.

A cablegram has been received from the late Chas. Herve's father, to send his little three-year-old daughter to Jersey, in charge of the C.P.R.

There was only one contest in the M.D. of Sounding Creek, last week, when R. Clark Fraser was opposed by Mr. Wilkinson. Mr. Fraser was re-elected.

M. J. Hewitt has been appointed to sell Auto Licenses for 1920. No need to send away when you can get your license at home.

John F. Miller, Alberta's Eye Sight Specialist, of Calgary, 404 Underwood Bldg, will again visit Chinook, on Saturday, March 13 at hotel.

Word has been received of the very serious condition of Mr. W. Young, at Killam, where he had gone to visit his daughter. Mr. Jas. Young was hastily summoned there this morning.

A the election for a councillor to fill the vacancy in the M.D. of Collhome, last Friday week, caused by the resignation of Mr. Adam Marr, for which W. H. Davis and Geo. Marr were nominated, the latter was elected.

According to an order that was issued by the Canadian Wheat Board, in order that the concession that has been made in the price of seed wheat to farmers in the dried out areas, the wheat must be shipped from the elevators by March 31. It is considered by the Seed Purchasing Commission that this time limit is altogether too short. From enquiries there are a large number of applications being made for this seed, which will be purchased through the various municipalities.

### WANTED

Janitor for Chinook C.S.D. Also Van-Drivers for Route No. 1—from W. E. Bennett's; No. 2—from L. Dressler's; No. 3—from James Young's; No. 6—from W. A. Todd's. Duties to commence April 1st and continue till the end of the year. Tenders for same will be received by the Secretary on or before March 25th. Those tendering are requested if possible, to be at the meeting on March 27th, at 2 p.m.

LORNE PROUDFOOT, Secretary

C. W. RIDEOUT, Chairman.

### CURLING

Haper, Youngstown, takes the Chas. S. Mills' Trophy, while McQuarrie, Oyen, Wins the Campbell, Wilson & Horne Cup

Owing to some oversight the results of the Chinook spiel has not been reported, but better late than never.

To say the least, the spiel was a marked success, and the committee in charge of the prize list deserve credit for the beautiful prizes collected, also for their efficient management of the spiel in general. Caretaker Whiteside had the rink in beautiful shape, the ice being fast and fairly true, and the flags and bunting above the sheets made it a regular holiday appearance, and from expressions heard from the visitors all had a real holiday and a mighty good time.

Visiting rinks were from Oyen, Cereal and Youngstown, also Todd from Bonny Doon. The Calgary, Hanna and Kindersley rinks were unable to attend owing to sickness. Games were very evenly contested, and on Wednesday evening out of six successive games there were five which were a tie on the 11th end.

Special mention must be made of the beautiful trophies donated to Chinook Club for annual competition. Mr. Chas. Mills, the well-known Cereal auctioneer, presented the club with a lovely cup. This is especially appreciated as Mr. Mills is a resident of Cereal. The Campbell, Wilson & Horne trophy is also a lovely work of art and suitably engraved. The winners of these cups—Mr. Harper of Youngstown and Mr. McQuarrie of Oyen—might well feel proud to hold these till next spiel, and, no doubt, they will be here at that time to defend them.

The following are the winning rinks and the list of prizes:

The Chas. Mills' trophy. The Grand Challenge

1st prize, Harper, Youngstown, Four cut glass berry sets value \$75.00

2nd prize, Miller, Chinook, four casseroles, pyrex lining value 35.00

3rd, McQuarrie, Oyen, four coffee percolators, value 25.00

4th, Todd, Bonny Doon, four pie knives, value 18.00

The Merchants' Event, also including the Campbell, Wilson & Horne cup

1, McQuarrie, Oyen, four solid leather club bags, value 120.00

2, W. Lee, Chinook, four cut glass celery dishes, value 60.00

3, Whitlock, Chinook, four sets community spoons 28.00

4, Cates, Oyen, four beautiful tea pots 20.00

shaving mirrors, value 20.00

4, Dunn, Chinook, four 49lbs sacks Purity Flour 15.00

The ladies' event drew a large crowd on Friday evening. Games were very close and the ladies demonstrated that they are real curlers. The following were the winners:

1, Mrs. Parsons, Youngstown four nickel-plated China salad bowls, value 40.00

2, Mrs. Dalton, Oyen, four sets community butter spreaders, value 25.00

3, Mrs. Ure, Youngstown, four community berry spoons, value 15.00

4, Mrs. Rennie, Chinook, four cut-glass butter tubs 10.00

### Novelty Spiel

This is away to a good start. Some 22 rinks entered. There three draws every night. Some of the previous spectators who considered curling a tame, uninteresting game are having a mighty good time, and are hoping that curling last all summer. The big noise of the rink is Milligan's shot pulled in his game against J. S. Smith. Playing an extra end to break the tie Smith lay shot and appeared perfectly guarded. However, Milligan with his last rock perfectly drew a narrow port and won. It was a bear.

These games are on every evening. All are welcome. Prizes are on display in Woodruff's window.

Oyen are expected to be here Friday evening in quest of the cup. Game starts at 7:35. All are welcome.

### Chinook C. S. District

The Board of Trustees met in the school, Feb. 26th.

Members present: Messrs. Rideout, Young, and Mrs. Marie. Minutes read and adopted.

Correspondence disposed of. Bill of the Village of Chinook for \$8.40 for half the cost of repairs to pump on well near the school was ordered paid.

Following bills were paid:

R. S. Woodruff 38.20

Robinson Bros 17.25

Western Muni News 3.25

Banner Hardware 38.80

J. R. Miller 3.70

W. W. Isbister 9.95

The arrangement for change in route made necessary by the increased number of pupils in Mr. Dressler's van was left to the chairman.

It was decided to take no action re Mr. Marcy's letter re rope used by R. McLean on the door of his van.

### LANGFORD U.F.A.

A meeting of the above was held on Feb. 28th.

Mr. Otto Peterson was elected vice-president, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mrs. Teggert.

Discussion re gopher poison and formaldehyde. Members were requested to hand in their orders to Secretary on or before next meeting.

It was arranged that all in need of assistance from U.F.A. drought relief fund, to take it up with the Secretary as soon as possible.

It was resolved to recind resolution re forming a committee to look after John Peden on his release from Ponoke.

It was resolved that the Local purchase a book, entitled, "Deep Furrows," for use at our meetings.

Secretary was instructed to write Dr. Egbert, sec. of East Medical Ass'n of Alberta, re charges for services and mileage and if said rates applies to both ways.

Resolved, that having heard with regret the death of Clyde Clark, one of the directors of Tipperary Local 647, through the flu, we, the members of Langford Local, desire to tender our heart-felt sympathy to the deceased's widow in her recent sad bereavement.

Adjourned.

Mr. Yake was instructed to order from Dept of Education list submitted to Board by Miss F. Rogers, if such books are not already in school library.

Two copies of Webster's Collegiate Dictionary and another book case, also two framed pictures for room 2, and other supplies, besides another supply of paper towels for use of school, were ordered.

The matter of increase of salary asked for by Miss Mary E. Rogers and Miss Florence Rogers was left over till next meeting.

It was decided that any teacher or the janitor wishing to secure any supplies, be asked to make a written request for the same to the principal, Mr. Yake, who will present same to Board at its next meeting, recommending it or otherwise as he considers advisable, it being understood that all ordinary supplies may be procured at once without waiting for a meeting of the Board.

Secretary was instructed to call for tenders for van drivers, also for position of janitor for school, particulars of which will be found in another column.

Committee appointed to purchase an up-to-date Map of Alberta.

Adjourned to Saturday afternoon, March 27th, at 2 p.m.

Lorne Proudfoot, Sec.



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"My baby brother had eczema which began when he was about four days old. It came in little pimples and then a rash, and he was covered. It was so cross that he could not sleep, and he cried."

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## The Exchange Problem

No one question is commanding such widespread interest in all countries as the problem of equalizing rates of international exchange. It is a problem which first engaged the attention of financiers and governments. Soon, however, it called for the careful consideration of all mercantile houses, manufacturers, and others engaged in large enterprises doing an international business. Now it is a matter of concern to every individual purchaser. It has now reached that acute stage where it is influencing politics, international and domestic, and is vitally affecting channels of trade and commerce.

The newspaper press, reviews, and in private conversation it has eclipsed even discussions of the Peace Treaty and the League of Nations. So far as Canada is concerned, our money is at a premium in practically every country but the United States, where it stands at a very serious discount. British money is at a discount in both Canada and the United States, so, too, is French, Belgian, Italian, German and other foreign currencies. The United States alone enjoys the distinction of having its money at a premium in all countries, while Canada comes second with its money at a discount only in the United States.

Canada has always purchased more extensively in the United States than that country has in Canada. In other words, our imports from the States have always exceeded our exports to that country. On the other hand, our exports to Great Britain have always exceeded our imports from the Old Land. In former years we have, therefore, been able to liquidate our "adverse balance" in the United States by British funds on New York; that is, we paid our debts in the States with money which Britain owed to us.

At the present time we cannot do this because, while Great Britain and other European countries owe Canada far more than this country owes the United States, they are not in a position to pay us in cash or in securities negotiable in the States; because we have been forced to sell to them on credit on the one hand, and on the other they too, owe the States large sums in excess of what the States owe them.

Therefore, while waiting for that time when Europe will be able to pay Canada what it owes us, we must pay the United States what we owe it either in gold or in goods. In the three years 1917, 1918 and 1919 Canada bought goods from the United States to a total of one billion dollars in excess of the value of the goods sold by us to the States. Notwithstanding this heavy debt to the United States, the American Exchange National Bank of New York estimates that Canada has a favorable balance with the whole world of over \$500,000,000.

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One can vary the cup strength as desired, making it strong or mild to suit taste.

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In the meantime, and until Canada can collect from other countries, there is only one of two ways, or a combination of both, whereby Canada can right her balance with the United States. (1) By buying less from the United States than in the past, and buying more at home and from Great Britain, France and other countries; and (2) by producing in Canada in larger quantities those things which the United States will buy from us, and consequently proceeding to sell such goods across the line.

The fact that the Canadian dollar has at present a purchasing power of only 80 or 85 cents in the United States will, in itself, operate to discourage Canadian buying there, while the fact that our dollar will buy more than a dollar's worth of goods in Great Britain will encourage heavier purchases there. This will help to right exchange conditions between Canada and the United States, and will also help the Motherland. From the purely Canadian standpoint, however, the main thing is that our people should produce in ever increasing volume those things which are in demand in the United States and which we can most easily and profitably export to that country.

At the same time, the Ottawa Government would be well advised at the approaching session of Parliament if it loses no time in adopting the policy advocated for so many years by the farmers of the West and increase the preference accorded to British goods under the tariff to fifty per cent. This would greatly assist Great Britain to enlarge her sales in Canada, and, to the extent that she does so, to replace United States goods, thus assisting both Canada and Britain. It would likewise result in a lowering of Customs taxation on the masses of the Canadian consuming public.

Close American observers of conditions are becoming alarmed over the prospect of losing a considerable part of their Canadian business—Canada is the best customer the United States has—and leading financial men there are urging adoption of a policy which will have the effect of raising the value of the Canadian dollar across the line back to par.

Canadians, however, should not depend on United States action, but should by hard work and unremitting energy increase production in all lines, and thereby enormously increase their export trade to the United States, and thus offset their heavy purchases of needed commodities from that country. And the Ottawa Government should encourage and assist in this work by substantially lowering, or altogether removing, the tariff on all implements of production, coupling therewith a larger tariff preference to British goods.

## Large Timber Deal

Half a Million Dollars Said to Be Involved in the Transaction

The largest timber deal of the new year has just been completed, says the Vancouver Province, in the purchase by Messrs Blodet, Welch and Stewart of a considerable tract on Vancouver Island just north of Union Bay. Half a million dollars is said to have been the price paid, but officials of the purchasing firm declined to announce the definite figure.

The tract, which is held under Crown grant, consists of 6,000 acres, and the fir and cedar timber available is said to average 40,000 feet per acre. It is a railway proposition, and three miles of line will be put in to transport the logs to tidewater. Camps are now being constructed and it is expected that 100 men will soon be on the payroll. The new camp is almost opposite Myrtle Point, on the east side of the Gulf of Georgia, where the same concern has for some time carried on a large logging enterprise.

After pocketing his fee the congratulations of the minister officiating at a wedding are genuine.

## CHILBLAINS

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He May Be A Dummy

"Who is Edith to marry?"

"His name is Bridge."

"Good gracious! Is she carrying the craze as far as that?"—Boston Transcript.

## LET "DANDERINE" BEAUTIFY HAIR

Girls! Have a mass of long, thick, gleamy hair



Let "Danderine" save your hair and double its beauty. You can have lots of long, thick, strong, lustrous hair. Don't let it stay lifeless, thin, scraggly or falling. Bring back its color, vigor and vitality. Get a 35-cent bottle of delightful "Danderine" at any drug or toilet counter to freshen your scalp, loosen dandruff and falling hair. Your hair needs this stimulating tonic, then its life, color, brightness and abundance will return.—Hurry!

The Minister of Agriculture, Hon. Dr. S. F. Tolmie, in an effort to encourage the raising of more livestock, points out that the export of Canadian meats must help to pay the nation's war bill.

Even the lines of a poor poet are apt to be cast in pleasant places when he goes fishing.

## CURE YOUR COLD WITHOUT MEDICINE

Just Breathe "Catarrhoxone." Its Balsamic Vapor Does the Rest

It's a tiny germ that sets up the irritation that makes colds so disagreeable. Colds die quickly if Catarrhoxone is used, simply because the vapor of Catarrhoxone instantly destroys the germ that keeps the cold alive.

Every breath you draw through the inhaler fills the whole breathing apparatus with pure piney essences that stop colds at their very beginning. You experience a pleasant sensation of relief at once. Soreness, congestion and irritation leave the nose and throat, the head is cleared, and every trace of cold or catarrh is cured. Catarrhoxone is so sure, so pleasant, such a safe remedy for winter ills, that you can't afford to do without it. Get the dollar outfit; it lasts two months and is guaranteed to cure. Small size 50c; trial size 25c. All dealers or The Catarrhoxone Co., Kingston, Canada.

## The Disappointing Peace

This is not the peace whose hope sustained us through the dark days of the war. The new world that we thought we were making then is still unformed; the spirit of international rivalry and distrust is not safely chained up; and instead of a world animated by the ideal of common good, we have a world, partly distracted by the rivalry between the fiercely opposing principles of constitutional progress and partisan tyranny, partly affecting an indifference towards this issue which it cannot really feel, and indulging the old hopes of political isolation that broke down so completely during the war.

A good many moving spectacles are due to heartless landlords.

W. N. U. 1303

## A Question of Public Interest

Have the People of Canada the Right to Buy Their Own Lumber at Reasonable Prices?

The Regina Grain Growers' association at their meeting on Saturday last called for an investigation into lumber prices, and in the legislature on Monday, during the discussion of the housing scheme, the minister of municipal affairs declared that Canada's requirements were not being met because of the fact that United States buyers were outbidding each other, regardless of price, for British Columbia's output, with the natural result that prairie province consumers had to pay exorbitant prices or go without needed supplies. He predicted further large advances in price, and even the possibility that if an embargo was not placed on the export of lumber, building in this country would be brought to a standstill.

Support for these views is found in a recent editorial in the Vancouver World headed, "Our Prosperous Lumber Industry," which records the fact that Australia cannot secure the lumber it desires in B.C., and is forced to go to Siberia for it. The fault is not altogether the British Columbia lumberman's, says The World, which explains the situation in these words: "The lumber output in this province at present is taxed to its capacity. There is a heavy demand from the prairies, and dealers there have but small stocks wherewith to fill it. Some parts of the United States join in the demand and there is as well a big overseas market which is offering high prices and must be satisfied."

"The lumber producer consequently suffers not from lack of a desire to satisfy his customers, but from lack of ability. Australian lumbermen are forced to buy what they need in Vladivostok, for the reason that British Columbia cannot fill their orders."

Life is made up, not of great sacrifices or duties, but of little things, in which smiles and kindness, the small obligations given habitually, are what preserve the heart and secure comfort.—Sir H. Davy.

## WINTER WEATHER HARD ON LITTLE ONES

Our Canadian winters are exceedingly hard on the health of little ones. The weather is often so severe that the mother cannot take the little one out for an airing. The consequence is that the babies are confined to over-heated, badly ventilated rooms; takes cold and becomes cross and peevish. Baby's Own Tablets should be given to keep the little one healthy. They are a mild laxative which regulate the stomach and bowels and thus prevent colds. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers, or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

## Big Aerial Plan

Firms in England Are Negotiating Development of Trans-Atlantic Airship Service

Four of the largest aviation firms in England are negotiating, according to London advices, with regard to a combine, with the eventual purpose of development of a trans-Atlantic airship service.

It is said to be the purpose of the combine to purchase all airships which the government does not re-houers.

A despatch from London, said a weekly airship service to the United States was contemplated by a combination of aviation firms. These firms were credited with the intention of acquiring the famous dirigible R-34 which made the trans-Atlantic voyage last year and her sister ship the R-33. The airships, it was declared, were being altered to meet passenger and cargo requirements.

quire for the army and navy. Experiments have been arranged for the early spring, when short trips to Scandinavia and Holland will be attempted after which an endeavor will be made to put into effect a bi-weekly service to New York, the voyage taking 60

Minard's Liniment for sale everywhere.

## Trees for Saskatchewan

During the past five seasons an average of nearly five million trees per year have been distributed among farmers from the government nurseries at Indian Head, and the average number of prairie farmers receiving these annually is 4,405. Since the nurseries were established in 1901, 53,142,400 seedlings and cuttings have been distributed through the prairie provinces.

Novel in the furniture line is a davenport containing a phonograph one end and space for records in the other.

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## Russia Completely Mobilized Now

Report Says All Able-Bodied Men Up to 35 Are in the Army

A correspondent of the Amsterdam Handelsblad has completed a tour of Soviet Russia and described his impressions in a series of articles.

Russia has been completely mobilized, he says, all able-bodied men up to 25 being in the army, with no age limit for officers. A deserter's family is held accountable for him.

The correspondent found the soldiers polite and well disciplined. A soldier gets 800 rubles a month, a company leader 3,200, and a regimental leader 4,200.

Six former imperial generals on Trotsky's staff received 6,000, while Lenin draws 8,000.

## Famous Tree Destroyed

Jerusalem.—During a recent snowstorm, the famous tree named El Buth, in the garden of Gethsemane, was blown down. According to tradition, this tree would fall when the Turkish empire had fallen. Twice it was bound with iron braces to prevent it from falling.

## A Quinine That Does Not Affect The Head

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When a young man is intoxicated with love he has his own ideas as to what makes the world go round.

## Developing Natural Resources

Drilling For Oil and Gas in Southwestern Saskatchewan

East End, in southwestern Saskatchewan, on the C. P. R. Branch line, known as the Lethbridge-Weyburn line, promises to be the centre of oil and gas drilling. Negotiations have been completed by the Imperial Oil Company for the purchase of the oil drilling outfit there with a view, after a geological survey has been made in the spring, to explore possibilities for oil and gas. East End is also known as Frenchman's Creek and White Mud on account of the peculiar nature of the soil there. It is the centre of large pottery works.

## Our Great Blessing

There is nothing that makes more for human happiness than the simple fact that someone needs us, that some task is holding us fast. We may ignorantly think of it as a burden, but it is our great blessing.

## This Soldier Knows What Helped Him

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS CLEANSE OUT HIS RHEUMATISM

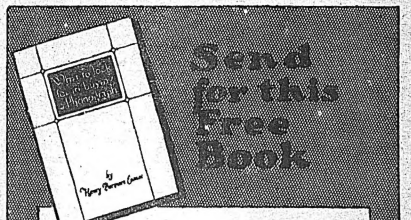
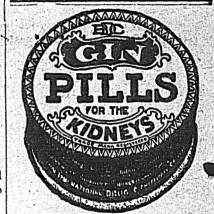
He Found in the Old Canadian Remedy Relief That the Hospitals of Egypt Could Not Give.

Cape St. George, Nfld., March 1.—(Special).—Eugene Corbett, keeper of the light and fog alarm here, and who was overseas with the Newfoundland forces, is a firm believer in Dodd's Kidney Pills as a help for kidney disease and rheumatism.

"For two years I suffered from kidney disease and rheumatism," he writes. "I was treated for them in the hospitals in Egypt. But it was five boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills that cured me."

Dodd's Kidney Pills are purely a kidney remedy. By putting the kidneys in shape to strain all the impurities out of the blood they remove the uric acid, the cause of rheumatism. With the kidneys cleansing the blood, there can be no uric acid to crystallize in the muscles and cause those excruciating pains known as rheumatism. Write your neighbors about Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Even when a man modestly admits that he doesn't know everything, he is secretly proud of the fact that he knows everything worth knowing.



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# Turkey Is To Be Shorn Of Military Power

LONDON.—Speaking on the Turkish question to the House of Commons, Premier Lloyd George pointed out that without the aid of India Turkey could not have been conquered, and nothing could be more damaging to British prestige in Asia than the feeling that Great Britain did not keep her word. He promised, however, that when the peace terms were disclosed they would be found drastic enough to satisfy Turkey's bitterness.

"Let us examine our legitimate and main peace aims in Turkey," the Premier went on, "the first is the freedom of the straits; the second is the freeing of all non-Turkish communities from the Ottoman army; the third is the preservation for the Turks of self-government in communities which are mainly Turkish, subject to two most important reservations."

"The first of these reservations is that there will be adequate safeguards within our power of protecting minorities that have been oppressed by the Turks. The second is that the Turk must be deprived of his power of vetoing the development of the rich lands under his rule which were once the granaries of the Mediterranean. These are the main objects of the peace."

Mr. Lloyd George explained that the freedom of the straits would be assured because all of Turkey's forts would be dismantled; she would have no troops within reach and would not be permitted to have a navy, while the allies would garrison the straits. The only alternative, he said, was an international military government of Constantinople, and all of the surrounding territories, which would be very unsatisfactory and costly to the allies.

## Timber Becomes Scarce

Prediction That Famine Will Be Keenly Felt Within the Next Fifty Years

WINNIPEG.—Actual timber famine was forecast in an address to the forestry convention by George Tunstall, of the Dominion forestry branch. He declared this was inevitable unless cutting operations are revolutionized and reforestation of waste lands undertaken. He said the timber famine would be keenly felt within the next fifty years. Lumber prices, Mr. Tunstall declared, had not reached a point where timber could be "grown" at a profit.

Manitoba's lumber cut for this year would be 50,000,000 feet, which is well up to the average.

## Would Amend Criminal Code

Dr. J. W. Edwards Will Bring Forward Motion With Regard to Capital Punishment

OTTAWA.—Dr. J. W. Edwards, Frontenac, has given notice that he will introduce a bill to amend the criminal code in regard to capital punishment.

Another resolution from the Frontenac member sets forth that the lack of systematic grading of butter and other dairy products is causing heavy loss to Canadian farmers. To overcome this he urges the establishment of a uniform system of grading, so that Canadian dairymen can successfully compete with those of other countries.

In a resolution dealing with educational developments, Dr. Edwards urges the establishment of a federal bureau of education at Ottawa.

## Russian War Loss

LIBAU.—Russian Soviet newspapers received here estimated the Russian losses through the war at 42,000,000 rubles. The Russian newspaper says the country is unable to export anything at the present time, but on the other hand finds it necessary to import provisions valued at one billion rubles.

## Revelations Are Promised

OTTAWA.—It is stated in well informed political circles here that important revelations are in the house regarding the recent internal friction in the board of commerce, and it is anticipated that these revelations may develop even before the questions are asked in the house.

A cloth jacket is warmer than a fur-lined coat, because there is less temptation to leave it open.

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## Canadian Parliament Opened at Ottawa

Program of Legislation for Session Outlined in Speech from the Throne

OTTAWA.—Parliament opened in the new buildings, worthy, as the Governor-General expressed it in the speech from the throne, "of the people whose national life it will henceforth serve." The government's legislative program outlined in the speech from the throne comprises: A bill to provide for a Dominion franchise; a bill respecting copyrights; bills providing for amendment of the Patent Act, of the Loan and Trust Companies Acts, the Indian Act and the Exchequer Court Act, and a bill to ratify the international opium convention.

The speech from the throne referred to ratification of the peace treaty between the allied powers and Germany and the formal constitution of the League of Nations. "It is satisfactory to note," the speech significantly remarked, "that the status of Canada as a member of the League has thus been definitely fixed."

"The treaty of peace with Bulgaria has been completed, and will be submitted for your approval. Negotiations were well advanced for concluding peace with Hungary and Turkey. If concluded in time, the treaties will be laid before parliament. In the European economic field, the Governor-General continued, "clear vision was still impossible, the unsettled state of exchange, the lack of international credit and inflation of paper currency, combined with the scarcity of raw materials and the demoralization of labor and transport, united to retard production and restrict the rebuilding of waste caused by the war. But," the Governor-General proceeded, "it is cause for thankfulness that of all countries affected by the war, Canada has maintained a record of social order and industrial and commercial prosperity second to none."

The address in reply to the speech from the throne will be moved in the senate by Senator Proudfoot. In the house it will be moved by Mr. Hume Cronyn, of London, and seconded by Alexander McGregor, of Pictou.

## Newsprint Shortage in Winnipeg

WINNIPEG.—Local newspapers publish an announcement that owing to the continued shortage of newsprint they are obliged "until further notice" to discontinue the publication of advertising, this step being taken to ensure as far as possible an uninterrupted news service.

## Colby Succeeds Lansing

WASHINGTON.—Bainbridge Colby, of New York, who was one of the leaders of the Progressive party under Theodore Roosevelt, will succeed Robert Lansing as Secretary of State.

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## B.C. Farmers Will Not Enter Politics

Action Deferred for Another Year as Time Is Not Yet Ripe

VICTORIA.—The United Farmers of British Columbia are not going into politics this year. They decided this with little opposition as they closed their convention by a resolution.

C. E. Weeks, of Kelowna, declared that no action had been taken on the question that has been uppermost in the minds of farmers throughout the province—whether the British Columbia United Farmers are to follow Ontario and Alberta and enter the political field.

"What will we be able to tell our locals when we go back if no action is taken now?" asked Mr. Weeks. "That is what everybody wants to know about, and one of the chief reasons why many of us were so anxious to come here. We will have a hard job explaining when we get home."

President Copeland was pleased with the result, declaring that the time has not yet come for farmers to take separate political action in this province.

"Unless our organization work proceeds and prospers, we will never get anywhere," said the president. "Political action at the present time would bring us no results and would be dangerous to the existence of our organization until we get it strengthened and consolidated."

## Bolsheviks Claim Constantinople

Lenine Declares Turkish Capital By Right Belongs to Soviet Russia

GENEVA.—A Bolshevik pamphlet, supposedly issued by Nikolai Lenine, the Russian Soviet premier, and just received here, raises the question of Constantinople. It asks why the allies are deliberating on the future of the city, "which belongs to Russia under a promise made by the allies in 1915 as recompense for the Russian effort."

The document declares the determination of the Bolsheviks to take Constantinople, and to fight for it if necessary.

## Five Burned to Death

MONTEAL.—A woman and four children were burned to death at Greenfield Park East, about fifteen miles from here. From the meagre details it is presumed they were casualties when the house in which they lived took fire, and they were unable to escape.

## British to Remain in Batum

CONSTANTINOPLE.—Decision to withdraw British troops from Batum, which was recently announced, has been cancelled, according to information received here.

# Soviets Approach The Great Powers With Peace Terms

## Experiments With Durum Wheat

Director of Experimental Farm at Brandon Not Enthusiastic

WINNIPEG.—Exercise patience and caution before introducing into Western Canada durum wheats, which have been extensively grown in North Dakota in recent years, was counselled by W. C. McKillop, director of the experimental farm at Brandon, and L. B. Jackson, in charge of the laboratories of the Western Canada Flour Mills. Their views on the subject were expressed at the convention of the Manitoba Agricultural Societies recently, and followed an address on durum wheats by Professor L. R. Waldron, in charge of plant breeding at the experimental station, Fargo, N.D.

Prof. Wm. Southworth led the discussion and gave figures on experiments in growing durum wheats, which had been made at the Manitoba Agricultural College. He believed in the production of a white flour as resistant as the Kuban variety of durum wheat could be produced.

Experiments showed that Marquis took 96 days to mature, while Durum required 106 days, which was a point to be seriously considered in Manitoba, where early maturing varieties were needed to escape damage by frost.

## Taking Former Crown Prince

The Hague—Decision has been reached that the former Crown Prince of Germany must pay taxes upon the basis of an annual income of 800,000 florins. Protests by the Crown Prince were unheeded.

## Seek Inquiry

CALGARY.—Calgary contractors have decided to ask the board of commerce to make an inquiry into the lumber situation. They claim that prices are advancing too rapidly.

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# Prof. Washburn Describes Food Value of Milk

At the closing session of the recent convention of the Manitoba Dairy Association, held in Winnipeg, Prof. Washburn gave a very valuable address on the question of food in relation to our well-being. He said in part:

Some people almost resent the suggestion that there may be something for them to learn in the matter of food. It is clear, however, that one of the most important discoveries of the century has recently been made, namely demonstrated and fairly well systematized. The discovery in brief is simply this: That there is something aside from mere bone-building, ash, muscle-building protein, and energy yielding substances, required for general growth and well-being; that the young will not grow, but will, in fact, die if a sufficient quantity of this substance is lacking, and that older animals, man included, will sicken and die if deprived of these vital substances.

The nature of this substance, or these substances, for there are known to be three or more of them, is as yet poorly known, but it has been fully and completely demonstrated that certain common foods lack wholly or largely in all three of these essentials while other contain liberal amounts. Among the deficient foods may be mentioned bolted flour of wheat, barley, corn and oats, potato centres, dry peas and beans, polished rice, sugar, muscular portions of beef, pork, poultry, mutton and fish, hard tallow, vegetable oil, and nut margarine. Any combination in any amount of the foregoing food substances would prove insufficient to maintain life. Something else is essential.

The source of these so-called "vitamins" is not a haphazard matter any longer, for it has been proven that the substances bear vital and intimate relation to the growing or vegetable portion of green plants and to the germ of seeds, as to foods such as milk and eggs, which by nature were produced to be foods for growing young. Thus we are prepared to discover the secret.

Among protective or corrective foods is a long list of the most common foods, for example: Milk, butter, cream, cheese, egg yolk, cod liver oil, whole oil, green leaves, honey; corrective of beri beri and rickets, cream, skim milk, egg yolk; brain, fish, rice, polio, germs of all seeds, wheat bran, yeast; corrective of scurvy, skim milk, eggs white, cabbage, lettuce, spinach, apples, lemons, oranges, onions, green peas, rhubarb.

In other words, foods in the protective group are either something growing, that was produced, like milk and eggs, to be the food for the young, or was a storage gland for extract thereof of a live, growing animal or vegetable. It is probable that other foods will be added to the long lists already prepared that are protective and corrective, but we now know enough about these foods and their

influence to protect us and our children from many ills, and in fact to give our young generation a stimulus to stronger manhood and womanhood than they would probably have developed in any haphazard system.

The best single example of improvement, brought about by feeding occurred in the city schools of Seattle, Washington, in that city 23 per cent of the children were deficient in their studies, neither did they play in a good, vigorous manner. Dr. Brown, the school physician, studied their cases, arranged to give the children a glass of whole milk each forenoon and afternoon. This done, in three weeks these children were out at play like normal children, improved rapidly in their studies and continued throughout the year vigorous on the playground and so much improved in their scholarship that the rise in their grade raised the grade of the entire schools 2 1/2 per cent.

Dr. Vrooman, in charge of the Rotary clinic, Vancouver, B.C., is now doing similar excellent work on a group of backward children. I saw them three weeks ago, they looked bright and happy, and the teacher reported positive improvements.

When we figure out the refuse we largely purchase with various forms of foods, and figure out also the water contained in these foods and raise the cost figures in proportion to these waste substances, we find a rather astounding situation.

For example, round steak, at 25c per pound, the edible solids cost 81 cents per pound, and in comparison, milk is worth, per Canadian quart, 25c; eggs at 45c per dozen means a cost per pound of edible solids of \$1.27, making milk worth 40c per quart, hen costing 40c per pound, means \$1.04 per pound of edible solids and in comparison milk is worth 34c per quart.

Potatoes, which are 78 per cent, of water, at a price of 25c per pound, or cost of 15c per pound of digestible dry matter; squash, which is 83.3 per cent, water, at a price of 4 cents per pound means a cost of 15c per pound of digestible dry matter. These foods bring bulk, and some vitamins equal to the best, but food also, or viewed the other way, milk brings food as clean as the best and vitamins also. Whether we take it "going or coming" milk is there.

It is most emphatically not meant that an adult should live on milk, or that he should not eat bread and meat, but it is our intention to emphasize the need for milk or some other similar commodity in the dietary of all growing children, and that these substances can be procured at less cost in milk and milk products than in any other form available.

In the production of stronger citizens we must remember that food is the basis of the body, and that man's physical condition must be right before he can develop mentally or morally, wholesomely and safely.

## Canada Building Unique Boundary

Alberta and British Columbia Separated by Partly Invisible Fence Line

Aubrey Fullerton writes in the New York Sun and Herald as follows: For seven years a hard piece of back-lot fencing has been going on in the Canadian Northwest, and the end of it is still several years off. Each a piece of work was started undertaken before by any fence builders, kind of country and method of operation considered, and when it is fully completed a record will have been established.

It is a fence line—partly visible, like any good farm fence, and partly invisible, like the equator—between the provinces of Alberta and British Columbia, and its purpose is simply to mark off where each of those provinces begins and ends. To do that, however, involves an altogether unique and exceptional layout, for the 800 miles or more of interprovincial boundary runs over mountains and into long stretches of bush country and through deep wilderness woods, where any kind of line is hard running. But the three governments, Dominion and two provincial, said to do it, and it is being done.

The neighbour provinces have never known precisely where the dividing line between them is, or ought to be. As by law provided, the boundary follows the Rocky Mountains and the 120th Meridian, which is a quite sufficient definition for school maps and guide books, but not for purposes of administration. An official interpretation of the boundary terms in 1913 made the watershed line of the mountains from south to north the real division, and in order to ascertain the location of such a line a full and thorough survey of the interprovincial border was undertaken in that same year.

Where running water along the mountain ridges divided, flowing on one side toward the Pacific Ocean and on the other side toward the Arctic or the Gulf of Mexico, was thus to be the imaginary fence line through the hill country, and an actual line to be marked, where possible, as in the wooded belts. These were the orders given the fence makers, the carrying out of which is proving the task of such unusual kind and proportions.

Though the work of border fence making is hard and the country is sometimes desperately rough, surprisingly accurate results have been obtained by the Boundary Commission. Complete field notes are taken at every stage of the work, and the preliminary calculations and observations when the first attempt is made to find the line, are carefully checked up in the final surveys, records of which are registered with the three governments. A degree of precision not attainable in any other way is thus assured and Alberta and British Columbia will presently be able to distinguish their respective properties all the way from south to north with certainty and definiteness.

It is the stiffest piece of fencing yet undertaken in Canada, but persistence and genius are seeing it through. When it has been all done the survey maps will be ratified in parliament and the boundary thus marked out will be officially adopted as the dividing line between the two provinces.

## Plenty of Moisture In Alberta

Farmers Believe That Moisture in the Soil is Better Than For Several Years

Farmers, interviewed by the Calgary Herald, are all inclined to the belief that at present the moisture in the soil is better than has been the case for several years past, and all agree that there will be ample for germination next spring in every part of the province. Especially is this the case in the neighborhood of Calgary, where there is more moisture at the present time than at any time since 1907. Indeed, it is feared that some difficulty may be experienced in tractor plowing.

## One on the Auctioneer

A lusty-lunged auctioneer was holding forth in the market place of a small town. Taking up a box of cigars, he shouted: "You can't get better, gentlemen. I don't care where you go, you can't get better!" "No," replied a cynical voice from the crowd, "you can't. I smoked one last week, and I'm not better yet."

The laying of the Atlantic cable is regarded as one of the boldest engineering feats ever attempted and at the time it was carried out was looked upon with derision.

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## The Riches of The Northland

We Are Beginning to Realize the Potential Wealth of Our Northern Territory

To become prosperous a country must possess an energetic population and abundant natural resources and raw material through which the intelligent inhabitants may establish remunerative industries. These truths have long been recognized; each one can think for himself of a number of illustrations. When the essentials are present, nothing will succeed in keeping a land, so blessed in a state of poverty—not even mal-administration, though, naturally, bad statesmanship has a deterrent effect while it lasts.

The republic to the south has become alive to the necessity of protecting and conserving the remnants of her natural resources, but somewhat late in the day. No longer are her forests the admiration of the world; no longer do her serving men and apprentices stipulate in their engagements that they shall not be served fresh salmon more than twice a week; her oil, and her coal, and her iron, are being drawn upon with so lavish a hand that the best brains are already warning her, should the present rate of production be increased in geometrical ratio, as has been the case for several decades, lean years are in store for not very distant generations.

The Dominion of Canada is in a better position. True, she sacrificed our noble white pine forests; burnt up our best hardwoods to get rid of them; ruined many a fine fishery by mill-dams and refuse, but the country is so big, so wonderfully endowed with all that a great nation demands, and its population so small for the area occupied, that we have yet the greatest stores of timber, coal and probably minerals any country inhabited by a first-class white race can claim. And of all the whole area, it may be questioned if any part of it has much advantage over Manitoba and her sister prairie provinces. Only yesterday, as it were, we thought of our fertile farm lands as our all in all; today we are beginning to realize, though but dimly as yet, the potential wealth of our undeveloped, almost unexplored, northern territory. Only recently a letter was received from a trader living in a remote spot, in which he spoke of lakes twenty miles in length, well stocked with fish, that as yet are shrouded in no map, and which he himself had not found an opportunity to visit.

In this connection the report by the Commissioner of Northern Manitoba, Dr. R. C. Wallace, which has just been submitted to the Provincial Government, possesses a deep interest. It is the result of investigation made on the spot by a man singularly well fitted, both by temperament and by training, to make such report. The present Commissioner received instructions on his appointment to develop by all the means within his power the great district known as Northern Manitoba. In pursuance of these instructions, Dr. Wallace has visited many outlying stations, has studied the geology and minerals of his district, collected much data on the water-powers, correlated all available information on the timber resources of the southern portion of the region, and now turns in the result of his work as set forth in the report aforementioned.

It appears that this land beyond the Saskatchewan and north of the inland seas of the province has yielded products valued at nearly three and a half million dollars during the year 1919—marvellous showing. Copper and gold once came out of the north, though the surface has hardly been scratched to the amount of \$694,633; timber was cut worth \$588,300; the lakes yielded fish which for a total of \$163,000; fur, once the sole commodity exported, gave \$1,867,000; and agriculture (from a land where no crops could be raised, according to public conviction), \$144,800.

And the men who have produced all this wealth say: "Give us transportation—roads and railroads—erect wireless stations, help us to get in touch with the capitalist outside, and then we will soon show you that the present production of Northern Manitoba is but a hint and an earnest of what is to follow."—Winnipeg Free Press.

## Ask Grant to Conference

Victoria, B.C.—The provincial government was asked by a delegation of British Columbia business men to make a grant of \$10,000 to the proposed Alberta-British Columbia conference, to be held in Vancouver in June. Premier Oliver promised consideration.

"Any particular choice of cut?" asked the butcher.

"Yes," replied the customer, "I'd like a cut of about 50 per cent in price."—Boston Transcript.

# Higher Education Advocated For Rural Districts

A survey of all the work being done to Canadianize the foreigners coming to this country was one of the several steps taken by the national conference of educationalists after some discussion at its final session at Ottawa.

Another discussion turned on the idea of having French taught in English elementary schools, and English taught in the French elementary schools. Every delegate present agreed that the cordiality which would result from such a step would be of inestimable value, but no special resolution on the matter was passed. Prof. W. F. Osborne, Winnipeg, and H. T. J. Coleman, Kingston, made eloquent pleas for anything that would give the English-speaking Canadians the full advantage of the vast amount of French psychology, which, they urged, was now untapped. Prof. W. G. Carpenter, Edmonton, agreed with this idea, but thought the council should take no immediate action. His view was shared by Prof. W. H. Vance, Vancouver.

Rural schools and their difficulties took up much time, a motion being finally passed asking for a study of the various plans of school district organization and how such affects the status of the teacher and the efficiency of the school.

C. M. Hamilton, member for Weyburn in the Saskatchewan legislature, made a strong plea for some school system which would give the rural folk the chance to keep their children in rural areas after they left the public school. Children of fourteen years of age were too young to leave the country to attend high school in the cities and yet there was no option if these children were to secure high education. He wanted children whose natural avocation was farming to have access to higher education, but, he urged, there was at present no solution to the difficulty in sight. The war had also taught Canadians that they must have a deeper appreciation of the country in which they lived, but that would not meet the case of those who could not afford to send their children to school to the

age prescribed by many provinces as a compulsory school age.

Bishop Richardson, New Brunswick, referring to the idea of making a survey of text books, declared that any national council that failed to take cognizance of education's relation to religion failed in its purpose and would not warrant the support of Christian bodies. Answering this, Dr. D. McIntyre, Winnipeg, said the step taken by the council to ask for survey of three leading Canadian universities of text books on literature, history and geography covered any such objection.

Vigorous condemnation of some declared motion pictures also took up some time. It was agreed that the best way to overcome the difficulty was to urge the public to attend only decent picture theatres. Several delegates told of means often adopted to circumvent censorship boards.

State aid to parents and the compulsory age took little time, John Sully, Vancouver, declaring that there were children under fourteen at the coast working to help keep their parents. "And we cannot do anything until the state is willing to step in and help," he declared.

On it being pointed out by Bishop Richardson that the term "economic statistics" might easily be abused, this and several other phases of the report on resolutions passed at the Winnipeg conference were sent to the various provincial governments. It was decided, however, to ask all the provincial governments to supply data on the legal enactments covering compulsory education.

The conference agreed with the Winnipeg convention idea, first, that the federal governments be asked to adopt a distinctive Canadian flag, and secondly, that an appropriate function be held once a year, preferably on Dominion day, for the public reception into citizenship of those who have met all the conditions of naturalization.

President W. J. Bulman, Winnipeg, stated that this first Dominion-wide assembly of educationalists had far exceeded his most sanguine expectations.

## Must Not Have Another War

If There Were Another Great War, All Alike Would Be Ruined

It is certain that if there were another great war, every man, woman and child in the nations involved would be conscripted for the warlike service of the nation. Imagine, then, the nations instantly condemned, when war began, to complete individual servitude, imagine also the cities being bombed day and night with deadly gases, every bomb or packet of gas accounting for its hundreds. If that would not kill civilization, nothing physical or material could.

We think ourselves that it would kill it. We are not imagining this prospect for the purpose of arguing by means of terror. That would be futile. The spirit of man cannot be daunted, and when civilized man is fighting for his principles, which without exaggeration he loves dearer than his life, or when his blood is up, he is equal to any fate. We are merely offering a cold and rational argument that civilization is threatened, that it must be saved, and that it can be saved, so far as we can see, only by the means that is ready to our hand.

As Mr. Lloyd George well said in his speech, if there were another great war it would not very much matter who won and who lost—all alike would be ruined. We must aim at a regulated state of peace, or resign ourselves not only to material eclipse but to the greatest condemnation of the human mind ever uttered by itself.—London Spectator.

## The First Coffee House

The first coffee house in Europe was opened in Constantinople by a native of Aleppo in 1551. For some time it served as a place of rendezvous for gossips and idle people; but in the course of a few years the house became so famous that it could not hold the crowds that flocked to it. So great was the attraction that the mosques were neglected, and the civil and religious authorities made great effort to make the new drinking place unpopular.

The best sermon is the one that goes over your head and hits the other fellow.

## Attack Stands of United States

Italian Paper Points Out U.S. Did Not Enter War Until Europe Was Safe

Rome.—The United States is savagely attacked by the Epoca, which prints a lengthy comment on Secretary Glass's letter relative to further credits to European countries. "Secretary Glass," the newspaper says, "does not take into consideration the fact that America did not participate in the war until western Europe was out of danger, and that the United States took good care that Germany should not be excessively trampled upon and impoverished, she being an excellent American client. With the exception of the western part of Europe, the so-called 'people's peace' seems to be a prelude to new slaughter. Confronted with this situation, Europe is asked to disarm completely, while America plans the augmentation of her fleet by spending a billion dollars annually. Is disarmament possible when Russian Bolshevism, originally anti-militarist, has transformed itself into a ferociously aggressive power? Russia is in league with Germany, which is organizing an army for the former, hoping to overturn the peace of Versailles. Invasion and destruction of the Polish republic would be a spark that would kindle a new fire which would reduce the treaty to ashes. Therefore, disarmament is possible, if Russia is the first to do so, and why not the United States?"

## Wireless Phones to Link Continents?

Signor Marconi prophesies that in the immediate future conversations between Great Britain and the United States will be carried on by wireless telephones, and that the cost will not be more than 24 cents for one minute. In an interview in London, Marconi said that he spoke direct to Canada from London, and he added: "It is only a matter of time when we shall be able to talk to New York from London. Already we have carried out many successful experiments between London and the continent, and we hope that we shall be able soon to announce the installation of a world wireless telephone system in all countries interested. Our plans are developing rapidly."

## Value of Manitoba Farm Lands Increasing

Land in Some Districts Has Practically Doubled in Value

The annual report of the Provincial Lands Department of Manitoba shows that the department has only a small portion of first class farming lands still unsold in the province. A large number of settlers are coming to Manitoba from the south. Owing to the draining carried out in certain portions of the province land in drainage districts has practically doubled in value. In 1919, 16,151 acres were sold at \$143,139. Only 50,592 acres of prime lands remain to be sold at a price ranging from \$4 to \$17 per acre. In 1919 receipts of principal interest from deferred payment amounted to \$16,460.18; filing fees, \$18,166; hay and wood permits, \$2,461.66; interest on bank deposits \$711.50.

## Philosophic Advice

"Father," said Molly, "don't you think it is time I had a new dress? I've had this one a long time now." "Why don't you turn it?" replied the father. "I have turned it once," the girl replied. "Well," sighed the distracted father, "it is again. One good turn deserves another."

Some men are so satisfied with empty honors, but the toper prefers his full.

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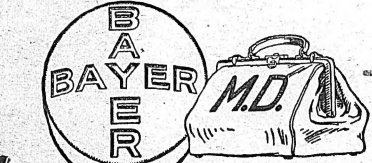
A writer says that sleep is conducive to beauty. Perhaps it is, but we have seen some rather homely policemen.

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## B. C.'s Pulp and Paper Industry

**Now Producing About Seven Million Tons of Paper Annually**

British Columbia is now producing 645 tons of paper daily, or about seven million tons annually. Eleven years ago the province was not producing any paper at all. The progress that has been made in the last eleven years is being maintained, so that during the next few years a considerable increase in the pulp and paper industry of the province may be looked for.

British Columbia produces fourteen per cent, of the pulp and paper manufactured in Canada—the second largest paper producing country in the world—at the present time, being the third largest producing province, following Quebec with 24,000,000 tons and Ontario with 21,000,000 tons annually.

## INFLUENZA HAS LATER DANGERS

**Particular Care Needed When Patient Is Convalescent, Says Expert**

The influenza convalescent who has apparently recovered from the disease and is yet in a strangely weak and depressed condition should be the object of particular care, according to Dr. Louis I. Harris, director of the Bureau of Preventable Diseases of the New York Health Department. In the opinion of Dr. Harris, the after care of the influenza patient is most important. The co-operation of the patient, coupled with the willingness to see that the weakness and depression are a part of the illness, though coming after the disease itself, has spent its force, is a big factor in effecting a complete return to full health. On the other hand, the determination to ignore this debilitated condition and to fight against it will, Dr. Harris says, frequently bring serious consequences upon the patient.

**After Effects Bad**

"The subject of the after effects of influenza," said Dr. Harris, "is one of particular interest to the scientist at the present time."

"First, and perhaps the most momentous condition to be considered, is the striking depression, mental, nervous, and physical, complained of by most patients. Those attacked by the disease with moderate severity are almost always afflicted with this depression, which should be recognized and dealt with. Those who have mild cases of the epidemic are little affected by depression, and their quick return to health and strength gives rise to the belief that influenza is trivial. On the contrary, influenza in its after effects is anything but trivial, and calls for the application of rules of common sense and sanitation which are the fruit of years of experience."

"Toxic treatment, well chosen diet, and great care in not becoming overtired or allowing the body to be chilled are necessary. Eggs may be eaten, but not more than two a day, for the average adult. Of course, it must be remembered that in many cases this disease tends to direct its force against the kidneys, and therefore we instruct patients to avoid eating a great amount of meat, eggs, or beef extracts. Eggs, soft boiled, poached, or beaten, raw, are advisable in limited number. The raw eggs should always be well beaten before eating."

**When Good Food Is Bad**

"With milk and eggs as a foundation, the patient should eat good nourishing food, including meat, fish and vegetables, simply prepared. Frying, for instance, is out of the question. Good food prepared in a palatable manner becomes bad food, especially in this to be noted in cases of convalescence from influenza, for the disease often manifests itself in vomiting, and in intestinal and gastric disturbances, and it is important not to weaken the digestive function by the eating of poorly prepared food, or even the best of food in ill-advised quantities. The quantitative distribution of foods should be so adjusted as not to overtax the stomach, but the patient should eat generously and frequently."

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## Grain In Calgary Elevator

**Government is Making Every Provision For Home Consumption**

About 180,000 bushels of wheat and 95,000 bushels of oats will probably be moving out of the government elevator at Calgary, Alberta, for various points during the next few days. This will be one of the largest movements in the history of the elevator. On account of the great quantities of grain that have been diverted to Calgary recently in response to an order of the Canadian Wheat Board, the elevator, which has a capacity of about two and a half million bushels, is practically full at present. It is stated that the government is making every provision for home consumption, and also to take care of the present Montana demand.

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## Three Schools of Agriculture for Alberta

**Speech From Throne Tells of Addition Also to Public Schools**

Edmonton.—The completion of the three new schools of agriculture, provision for the commencing of work on a number of public institutions of an educational character, and provision for large additional expenditures, for telephone extensions in the province, were among the announcements contained in the speech from the throne, which was read before a notable gathering by Lieutenant-Governor R. G. Brett, at the opening of the third session of the fourth legislative assembly of the province. Other subjects touched on included an invitation for the attention of the legislature to the subject of natural resources, increased organization for promoting the health of the people, the amending of legislation to the Irrigation Act, and complementary reference to the visit of the Prince of Wales and the Duke and Duchess of Devonshire.

## Large Herring Catch in B.C. Waters

Nearly half a million dollars' worth of herring were caught last month in the waters surrounding Vancouver Island. Vast schools of this fish frequented the Nanaimo, Alberni and Clayoquot districts, bringing the month's catch up to the unprecedented figure of \$441,300. Of the total of 352,112 cwts., 197,520 cwts. were dry salted.

## Another Epidemic OF THE SPANISH INFLUENZA

A great many authorities have predicted a return of that terrible plague which swept Canada from one end to the other not long ago and left so many deaths in its wake, and those who did survive were left in a great many cases with some serious after-effects, such as weak heart, shattered nerves, impoverished blood and a general debility and exhausted condition of the system.

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It was generally believed that the longest will was that of Mr. Edward Bush, of Gloucester, which ran to 26,000 words, but now a London City solicitor, in the course of inquiries, discovered that the will of Mr. P. J. J. J. of Bristol, Eng., consisted of 32,000 words. "I know its length," said the solicitor, "because I had to read every word of it in old English script dated back to 1842."

The officials of Somerset House, where all the proved wills are kept, deny that even this is the longest in their keeping. "There is one I know," states an official, "which runs to 500 folios. As there are 90 words to the folio in probate papers, this means that the will contains 45,000 words."

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## Coal Mines Under the Sea

In England, the workings of the Cumberland coal field run two miles out under the sea. The ventilation of these mines is a nice engineering problem, but is successfully accomplished. At Workington, England, in the year 1837, before the science of surveying was as highly developed as at present, the sea was through and the workers were drowned. Some of Nova Scotia's coal mining is also done beneath the bed of the sea.

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## Calgary Elevators Handling Large Quantity of Grain

As an instance of the large quantity of grain that has been handled at Calgary, Alberta, this season, it is interesting to note that from the beginning of September to February 13th, 7433 cars were dealt with by the local grain inspector. For the whole of last year 8,429 cars were inspected. The local elevators are now practically full. Steps were taken some time ago to see that there was ample provision for home needs.

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## Saskatchewan Coal

During 1919, 300,081 tons of coal were produced from 51 mines in Saskatchewan, as against 336,000 tons in the previous year. A total of 403 miners were employed last year, as against 264 the year before. The total consumption of coal in the province is estimated at 1,650,000 tons.

Even when a woman weighs her words she gives good measure.

## A Nervous Wreck

BY DR. D. L. GRANIER.



How many business men feel fagged out, nervous, with a "soggy brain"—worn out completely before the day and its tremendous tasks are half over? Try the right way! Clean the body first. That will help your nerves, your head and your circulation. Your doctor will tell you that anything from a headache or a common cold to gripe or a serious illness may result from allowing food to ferment in the intestines. Don't give the body a chance to absorb the poisons. Remove the toxins from the system and give the tissues of the body aid to resist disease by taking an occasional laxative such as castor oil, or a tiny pill made up of May-apple, aloin, jalap, and sold by most druggists as Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets.

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### Sounding Creek Council

"That we table all seed grain applications till the next meeting, pending further information regarding coming amendment to the Seed Grain Act, and that in the opinion of this Council, if the government compels the raising of the necessary funds through municipal taxation it will be inexpedient for this municipality to handle seed grain this year, except as purchasing agents."

This was the resolution passed at the last meeting of Sounding Creek council.

Mr. Clapperton was appointed a committee to interview Youngs town council regarding the care of Mrs. A. Peck and Mrs. O. E. Fraser, who had made application for relief.

Joseph Deman made a claim for 10 days' payment for weed inspection. On motion of Mr. Proctor the council will advise his solicitor that it can take no action until his weed inspection book is presented.

A by-law restraining of animals at large was read a third time and passed. This by-law was passed at the request of the Department of Municipal Affairs who took objection to the old by-law on some technical points, but does not make any material changes.

Poundkeepers were appointed as follows: Fred Otto, 10-29-7; G. M. Thomas, 16-20-8; James Young, 34-29-9; Dan Anderson, 10-20-8; Robt Vallance, 34-30-7; Harry Synnuck, 17-31-7; W. Rutherford, 21-31-7; Oscar Miller, 33-31-9.

On motion of the revee it was decided to purchase four cars of seed oats from the Seed Grain Purchasing Commission, two each to be shipped to Chinook and Youngstown, and to ask for applications for these on a cash basis.

\*The revee and secretary were appointed a committee to see about the purchase of seed oats.

A by-law relating to the destruction of gophers was read a first and second time.

The council decided to purchase 600 ounces of strychnine and 150 packages of Kill-em-Quick.

The following accounts were approved: Pay sheet, division 1, \$50; C. W. Barton, \$3; Chinook Advance, \$5.00; Plaindealer \$5.00.

This is the time to have those eyes corrected scientifically. See John F. Miller at the hotel, on Saturday, March 13th. Remember the date. Come early.

Alberta contains seven per cent. of Canada's area and is twice as large as the British Isles

## Annual Meeting

Echoes from M. D. Sounding Creek

Mr. Clark Fraser said, with regard to the road work done in his division he had concentrated on the main roads north of Chinook. With the co-operation of Mr. Proctor, who represented Chinook division and Mr. Farrow to the south, they had made 16 miles of good road north of Chinook. A good road had now been graded running east and west for several miles. Mr. Cameron had graded four miles on this road, leaving one mile to completed next year. Other money had been spent to fill up sloughs while they were dry.

Mr. Farrow said he did not see anyone present from his division and would confine his remarks to his work on the roads in his division. He had graded six miles of the road north of Chinook, which was now in a good condition. On the main trunk road to Youngstown and Cereal quite a bit of grading had been done and these roads were now in good shape. He had not spent quite all his appropriation on account of the very early winter setting in before the work was completed.

Mr. Proctor stated that there were no ratepayers present from his division and he would not have much to say. Mr. Cameron had suggested that the people who want gopher poison pay half and that they raise the bounty so that people could remunerate themselves. The idea of giving free poison to everyone was expensive and not getting them anywhere. Traffic on the main roads to Chinook and Youngstown was very heavy and it was costing a good deal more now to drag the roads than it did to build them. Two mills extra on last year's taxes was necessary for roads. With regard to road north of Chinook he could promise that next year this would be in first class shape. They had applied for a grant from the government for the road but had got only \$400 and had left off when this was expended. With respect to seed grain the government was backing away from the responsibility and putting it on to the municipalities. In that case it would be necessary to put an extra mill rate on, and they would have to be pretty close in giving out seed in order to keep the taxes down.

## DOES ADVERTISING PAY?

We notice that at the annual meeting of the M. D. of Sounding Creek, a week or so ago, that E. A. Proctor, who represents Chinook district in the council, in his opening address, made use of these pertinent remarks: "That there were no ratepayers present from his division and he would not have much to say." Probably the secret of "no ratepayers from his division being present" lay in the fact that the annual meeting was not advertised in the Advance by the returning officer this year. The only intimation was a dinky little notice struck up in the post-office, which, no doubt, scarcely any one noticed. The day of the cheap "post office advertising" is past, wherever there is a newspaper anywhere within reach. Does advertising pay? Ask the mail order houses

A concert will be given in the Chinook church on Tuesday, March 9th, at 8 p.m. Program by the Sunday school children, assisted by others. Proceeds in aid of furnishing primary class. Adults 50c, children free.

## COLLHOLME KOLUM

Mr. John Mackinnon, from Rearville, spent few days last week here, visiting friends.

Some land deals have been put through recently in this district, at moderate prices.

What's the matter with U.F.A. column? It's high time for someone to start the ball rolling.

H. H. George bought a fine young mare in foal at Collholme pound for the small sum of twenty bucks.

The care of the Spring work is making itself known, as some of the farmers are busy drawing home hay—Manitoba hay.

This district seems to be relieved from the flu, or severe colds, that has been going around.

### Old-Time Ghost

Some of the neighbors saw a bright light on the Senator's farm. Thought it to be in White House.

### Loses a Quantity of Wheat

Old Neil lost one of his best horses, eating too much wheat. That sounds funny, but it is a fact.

### Sympathetic Neighbors

Brown & Wilson extend their sympathy, by losing one of their best brood mares, the other day, from eating too much straw. Well, we can expect most anything now a-days.

### George is a Lucky Man

Mr. Geo. Hutchison of Big Spring was visiting here last week with his young Scotch lassie. Folks seem to think that George felt the war period as long as though he had been in the front trenches.

### Want to Get Higher Up

A number of our VIII Grade scholars, who passed ex. ms., are seriously thinking of taking up the ix. grade work under Mrs. Duster. It would be wisdom to put a bug in the teacher's ear, not let them get cross-eyed looking across to the seat.

### A Friend in Need is a Friend Indeed

Mr. D. VanDuzee has been blessed with a fine young boy. We have reason to be thankful, when no nurse can be obtained, that we have in this community some Dorcas, or rather Marthas, who will leave their home and family and care for the helpless. The writer believes this is one of the great commandments, "to love thy neighbor as thyself"

### A Hot Time in the Old Town

The municipal nomination meeting took place last week. The Reeve, perhaps, saw things coming, and did not accept the chair, but appointed a chairman, who, maybe, could see a little further on than the Reeve, got down to business that almost proved to be 110 in the shade. Mr. Concoctive occupied the floor, and it took all the chairman's wisdom to keep him anywhere normal. So hot was the discussion that Mr. Going Going joined in bringing his hammer down on the desk so terrific that some of the ratepayers thought they would have to buy some more new seats. The Rearville six-fotter puglist broke through the front line and had his part in. The man with the smile that never comes off, used some tact by getting the law and regulations, reading the same to those who were ignorant of the same, and in his own quiet way brought about a warmer atmosphere. Should these kind of meetings continue it might save hiring a janitor.

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